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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Applicant: Steven J. Eck

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Examiner: Charles, Marcus

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Art Unit: 3682

For: **IDLER PULLEY WITH INTEGRAL BEARING CARRIER INSERT AND METHOD**

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Sir:

**AMENDMENT SUBMITTED WITH REQUEST  
FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER CFR 1.114**

This amendment is submitted in response to the Final Rejection mailed May 3, 2006.

Amendments to the specification appear on page 2 of this amendment.

Amendments to the claims are shown in the Listing of Claims, which appears on page 4 of this paper.

No amendments have been made to the drawings.